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**WANTED, a Female GENERAL SERVANT** FITZPATRICK, 25, Krakino-street.

**WANTED, a SHOPMAN,** or young man accustomed to the butchery, who understands the use of the knife. Apply to **MR. HURST**, Balmains Street.

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## THE CHINA WAR.

To the news from Hongkong, published in Monday's *Herald*, we are now enabled to add sixteen days later, viz., to the 23rd of May.

The *Overland China Mail* of that date supplies us with the following summary of events for the previous fortnight—

His Highness remains in Hongkong, but preparations are making for his departure northward on the 30th instant. General Sir Robert Napier has already left.

The continued delay of Lord Elgin excites disappointment; and it seems doubtful whether military operations can effect much, or almost anything, this year. A great part of the British force is now sent to Canton, where it is supposed that it is to rendezvous at Che-foo, on the coast of Shanghai, and the Gulf of Pecheli; and there will be a station for British stores and troops on the opposite side of the Gulf. It is whispered that Sir Hope Grant may perhaps occupy Tien-tsin before he attempts to take the Taku forts.

No apparent change has occurred in the position of diplomatic affairs, except that Kwei-liang has been made Senior Guardian to the heir apparent, and it is rumored that another Manchurian rank has been appointed to succeed him with foreign affairs.

Confidential correspondence, in a position to obtain good information, writes to us—"The reports I get from Peking are to the effect that the defence of the Taku forts is being strengthened. The Chinese have been practising in gunnery till they fire with great precision." This is borne out by a visit of H.M.S. *Porpoise* to the Gulf of Pecheli, which has reported that the Chinese have been practising in gunnery till they fire with great precision.

It also appears from the *Peking Gazette* that trenches or rifle pits to be used by the Chinese, and from the *Peking Gazette* that the Chinese are making the Taku forts there will doubtless be some hard fighting; and we are not altogether convinced that even the present force will be able to take them. What the effect of fresh reinforcements will be it would be at this stage, cannot be surmised.

At present the prevailing sentiment at Canton is decidedly in favour of peace, among officers and people, residents of the city and of the country. There is no intention of attempting to make a further advance, still another serious repulse of the Allies might again evoke the war spirit in the South. It would certainly destroy the Foreigners in Japan. My note, it might excite the whole East.

The island of Chusan has been placed in charge of an Allied Commission, composed of Mr. Hughes, of H.M. *Consular Service*, M. de Méritens, *Attaché* to the French Legation, and Captain Gritton, R.M.V. They have published proclamations, intimating their authority, and forbidding any one to establish himself at Taku-hai without their permission.

Concerning the subject of the same journal remarks—"In the absence of diplomatic intelligence the subject of greatest interest here at present is the arrangement and movements of the Expeditionary Force. The French Legation, and the British subject have all been obtained from authentic sources they may be relied upon as correct. While we write a considerable portion of the force is on the move towards the Taku forts, and the British subject have all been obtained from authentic sources they may be relied upon as correct.

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clashed in favour of the insurgents, but a steam frigate sent to the rescue of the troops, sweeping the shore with grape-shot, threw the insurgents into confusion; but they felt back with no very heavy loss.

On the 10th, a strong column of troops was sent to the hills, from which the troops had been driven back. One of them proceeded by land, the other by sea to Mondello (a headland on the north coast, about twelve miles from the city). They met with no resistance, but the latter were driven back. The men who had been fired at from several villages, began their work of devastation, sacking, burning, and battering down the houses with artillery. Santa Maria, Verona, Villafranca, and other places, were taken, and the names of which the names are unknown to me, thus perished in the flames. The smoke could be seen from Palermo; it looked like a general conflagration of the country. I cannot answer for the state of Sicilia and Bordonaro, but San Lorenzo has ceased to be, not one stone is left standing. In town, the following gentlemen—Baron Ruo, Prince Giannelli, Cavalier San Giovanni, the son of Prince Montecarlo, and others, were arrested on foot, two by two, they were marched into the castle. Duke Verdura had been arrested on the eve of the insurrection.

In the town there was a second attack upon Baida. Three Italian troops again were on the heights; the latter lasted two hours and a half, but the insurgents, overpowered by numbers, were compelled to retreat. There was great consternation in the city. The arrests and the violence were augmented, and the painful incident marked the day. Father Ottavio Lanza (brother of Prince Butera, who died at Paris), who was one of the Olivetan order, and still in the city, was arrested. Let us imagine for a moment a man in a state of mind, and a noble character, had, together with Count Tassia, taken shelter on board an American vessel, to which he applied to the American Consul for leave to seek his refuge. The vessel was granted, but the search, and the unhappy fugitives fell into the hands of their pursuers.

Another nobleman, Cavalier Luigi Villaroja, befriended by Mr. Corbelli, the British Consul, a functionary highly respected and cherished at Palermo, applied for refuge to one of the English ships anchored in the harbour. The captain refused to receive him, and he was obliged to seek refuge elsewhere. The unhappy Villaroja was more fortunate in his appeal to the humanity of a Russian captain, who took him on board, and the police for leave to seek their refuge. The vessel was granted, but the search, and the unhappy fugitives fell into the hands of their pursuers.

On the 12th there was an attack upon Mondello, at some distance from the town, and called it Poppo. We heard a well sustained fire of musketry and artillery; we began to think the thousands of insurgents so long announced had at last arrived. The town was besieged in Palermo, and all of a sudden, the artillery ceased, the firing ceased; the alarm bell was heard; no fugitives were seen. The insurgents were defeated; 25 of them were taken prisoners, a few were wounded, none killed; 30 of them were released, and the town was left to the insurgents. The present state of the town, and the enormous prices current for tea, are abundantly illustrative of this point. In this view of the case, the foreign intervention is a most pernicious and dangerous act of diplomacy, for not only is the levied considered as a much surplusage, but the people were taught to believe they were collected on foreign ground, which indeed they have partly been.

## THE SICILIAN INSURRECTION.

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SOME of my Sicilian friends here, men on whose honour and truth I place the most unlimited confidence, have written me a letter, in which they are giving me a minute account of the events of which their ill-fated island was lately the theatre. Even at the risk of only recapitulating old news, I deem it advisable to lay these particulars before the English public, both because the insurrection is the subject of endless misstatements, and also because that country is far as yet from being at rest, and some great catastrophe is impending, as we have positive intelligence that the Sicilian revolutionaries, having embarked a few days ago at Genoa, on board a steamer manned by two hundred of the most venturesome followers, bound, as it is supposed, to land in the south of Italy, and to overthrow southern kingdom. Appalling as such a report has been to all the lovers of the Italian cause, and to the personal friends of the heroic *guerrillero*, the insurrection is a more serious matter, and the levied considered as a much surplusage, but the people were taught to believe they were collected on foreign ground, which indeed they have partly been.

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